

2006 Hispanic Youth Symposium

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Friday – April 28, 2006

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Buses arrive

Room Registration/Key Distribution (Inn Foyer/Lodge Bus Loop Parking Lot/Continental Room)

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Mi Familia Lunch (Limelight Ballroom)

Briefing

Arantza Zabala, Idaho National Laboratory

12:15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.

Opening

Welcome

Lina Mendez-Benavidez and Ricardo Lopez, Masters of Ceremony

Pledge of Allegiance

Opening Remarks

Governor Dirk Kempthorne, State of Idaho

Special Remarks

Jeffrey Vargas, National Nuclear Security Administration – Washington D.C.

12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Mi Familia Photos with Governor and Mrs. Kempthorne

Icebreaker and Overview with Chaperons

1:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Break

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Workshops – Session One

1. **Issues to Action (A) (Limelight A Room)**

Moderated by Bryan Parker

2. **Issues to Action (B) (Limelight C Room)**

Moderated by Arantza Zabala

3. **Siempre Latinos (Limelight B Room)**

Presented by Luis Ibarra

4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

Break

4:15 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.

Workshops – Session Two (rotate)

4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Art Exhibit Open (Ram Room)

6:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Free Time

7:00 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.

Mi Familia Dinner (Limelight Ballroom)

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7:45 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.

Dinner Program

Remarks

Elizabeth Sellers, Manager - Department of Energy, Idaho Operations Office

Juan Alvarez, Deputy Manager -Idaho National Laboratory

Lonnie Casias, Department Manager – CH2M-WG Idaho, LLC

Frank Russo, President – Bechtel BWXT Idaho, LLC

8:15 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Awards and Student Presentations

Speech Semi-Finalists Awards

9:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Mi Familia Activities

Facilitated by Luis Ibarra

University Interviews (by appointment only) ([Continental Room](#))

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7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.

Mi Familia Breakfast ([Limelight Ballroom](#))

7:45 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Break

8:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.

Workshops – Session One

Scientific/Engineering

1. **Experiment with a Chemist** ([Columbine B Room](#))
Presented by Mary Adamic, Idaho National Laboratory
2. **Engineering Makes the World Go Around** ([Lupine Room](#))
Presented by Dr. James Ferguson, Boise State University
3. **Atomic Mouse Trap** ([Camas Room](#))
Presented by Bevin Brush, Idaho National Laboratory
4. **Engineering With LEGO®** ([Limelight B Room](#))
Presented by Doug Thompson, Technical Training Systems
5. **Engineering – Engineering Your Future** ([Continental Room](#))
Presented by Julio Pineda, Micron Technology, Inc

Personal Development

6. **Little Pond-Big Pond** ([Boiler Room](#))
Presented by Arnold Hernandez, Albertson College of Idaho
7. **Are You Mexican, Hispanic, Latino, American, Chicano or What?** ([Limelight C Room](#))
Presented by Glen Galindo, Lewis-Clark State College
8. **More Than Just a Study Date** ([Limelight A Room](#))
Presented by Natalie Bodine, Idaho Department of Health & Welfare
9. **Save a Life - CPR and AED** ([Aspen Room](#))
Presented by Victor Gonzales, Idaho Cleanup Project and Shari McAfee, EMT

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Art Exhibit Open ([Ram Room](#))

9:10 a.m. – 9:20 a.m.

Break

9:20 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Workshops – Session Two (rotate)

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

College/Career Fair ([Limelight Ballroom](#))

(Student and chaperon attendance is required)

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12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Mi Familia Lunch (Limelight Ballroom)

12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Lunch Program

College Student Panel

Male, TBD
Male, TBD
Female, TBD
Female, TBD

Panel Facilitator

Judge Sergio Gutierrez, Idaho Court of Appeals

1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Break

1:30 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.

Workshops – Session Three (rotate)

2:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Art Exhibit Open

2:40 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Break

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Talent Contest (Opera House)

(Student and chaperon attendance is required)

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Judge Gutierrez 5K Run

(Open to all participants – Starting Line Registration at 5:15 p.m., Race begins at 5:45 p.m.)

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Free Time/Dress for Dinner

7:00 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.

Mi Familia Dinner (Limelight Ballroom)

7:45 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.

Dinner Program

Keynote Speaker

Erin Gruwell and **Maria Reyes** – The Freedom Writers Project

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8:15 p.m. – 9:15 p.m.

Awards and Student Presentations

Art Competition Recipients
Judge Gutierrez 5K Fun Run Recipients
Issues to Action Finalists
Speech Finalists

9:15 p.m. – 9:45 p.m.

Load Transportation to Hemingway Elementary School for Dance and Interviews ([Inn Foyer](#))

9:45 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.

Dance – D.J. Dale Siratt

Natalie Reyes and Frank Sanchez Scholarship Interviews

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Sunday – April 30, 2006

8:00 a.m. – 8:25 a.m.

Room Checkout - Keys Returned to Chaperons ([Inn Foyer/Columbine A Room](#))

8:25 a.m. – 8:55 a.m.

Mi Familia Breakfast ([Limelight Ballroom](#))

8:55 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.

Breakfast Program

Presentation of Awards and Scholarships

College/University Scholarship Recipients

Campesinos Unidos

North Wind, Inc.

Issues to Action Recipients

Speech Competition Recipients

Talent Competition Recipients

Gem State Diversity Initiatives (GSDI) “Si Se Puede” Scholarship Recipients

Natalie Lupe Reyes Memorial Scholarship – Outstanding Female Student 2006 HYS

Frank Gamboa Sanchez Memorial Scholarship – Outstanding Male Student 2006 HYS

10:55 a.m. – 11:55 p.m.

Closing

Keynote Speaker

Luis Ibarra, President , Friendly House, Phoenix, Arizona

11:55 a.m. – 12:15 a.m.

Wrap-up Video

12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Housekeeping

Mi Familia Farewell Gatherings

Pick up lunch boxes (high school students and chaperons only)

1:00 p.m.

Buses leave Sun Valley Inn